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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the final Office Action, dated May 27, 2005, Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences. Applicant's Notice of Appeal is attached.

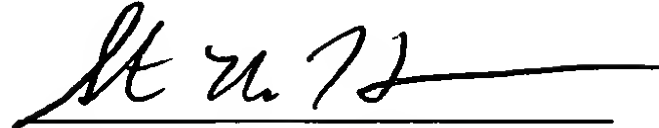
Applicant previously filed a Notice of Appeal on March 19, 2004 and subsequently filed an Appeal Brief, dated May 14, 2004 and a Supplemental Appeal Brief, dated October 7, 2004. The requisite fees were submitted for the Notice of Appeal and Briefs. Therefore, pursuant to Section 1208.02 of the *Manual of Patent Examining Procedure*, no fees are required for filing the attached Notice of Appeal.

Enclosed are:

- 1) Notice of Appeal, dated August 1, 2005;
- 2) Notice of Appeal, dated March 19, 2004;
- 3) Return Postcard.

Respectfully submitted,

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